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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Alain BOUILLOUX et al.

GAU: 1712

SERIAL NO: 09/384,315

EXAMINER: R. Sellers

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FOR: THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING A CROSSLINKED PHASE

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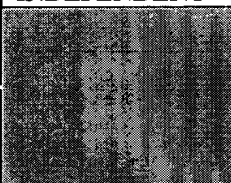
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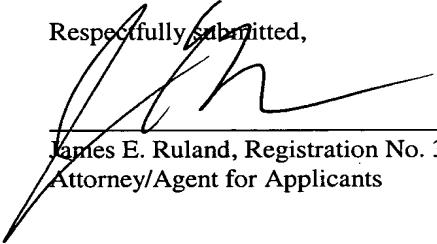
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In response to the Final Office Action dated February 20, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 36, with the following amended paragraph:

C'
--It has now been discovered that if a product (C) comprising at least one unsaturated carboxylic acid is added to a mixture of a product (A) comprising an unsaturated epoxide and of a product (B) comprising an unsaturated carboxylic acid anhydride, the entire mixture being incorporated in a thermoplastic polymer, a thermoplastic copolymer comprising a crosslinked phase is very easily obtained.--

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 35 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter therein.

Please amend claims 20-29, 32, 36-40 as follows:

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